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For: **METHODS OF FORMING VERTICAL POWER DEVICES HAVING DEEP  
AND SHALLOW TRENCHES THEREIN**

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Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT A**

Sir:

This response addresses the Official Action of June 17, 2005.